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3)	6,961,858	11/01/05	Fransdonk
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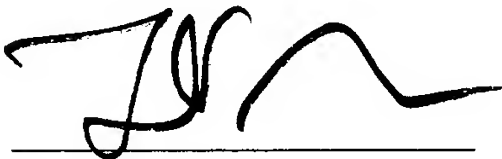
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